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SUBJ: PORTUGUESE TIMOR - JOINT NONALIGNED-WESTERN

WORKING PAPER FOR DRAFT U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION

REFS: (A) USUN 6928; (B) USUN 6927

1. AFTER CIRCULATION LATE AFTERNOON DECEMBER 19 OF NONALIGNED AND WESTERN WORKING PAPERS FOR DRAFT U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL (UNSC) RESOLUTION ON PORTUGUESE TIMOR (REF A), NONALIGNED (TANZANIA, GUYANA, IRAQ, MAURITANIA, AND CAMEROONS) AND WESTERN (JAPAN, ITALY, FRANCE, AND SWEDEN) DRAFTERS MET TO TRY TO BLEND TEXTS INTO JOINT WORKING PAPER. AT 9:30 P.M. THEY CIRCULATED JOINT DRAFT.

2. UNSC PRESIDENT RICHARD (UK) HAS SCHEDULED CONSULTATIONS OF THE WHOLE ON JOINT DRAFT FOR MONDAY, DECEMBER 22 AT 10:30 A.M., WITH A UNSC MEETING TO FOLLOW AT 11:30 A.M.

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RICHARD EXPECTS TO INTRODUCE DRAFT RESOLUTION FROM CHAIR.

HE HOPES FOR CONSENSUS, WITH CHINA POSSIBLY NOT PARTICIPATING.

3. ACCORDING UK MISOFFS, INDONESIANS SEEM SATISFIED WITH JOINT DRAFT DESPITE FACT THAT IN EIGHTH PREAMBULAR PARA IT "DEPLORES" INDONESIA'S INTERVENTION AND IN NINTH PREAMBULAR PARA ONLY "REGRETS" PORTUGAL'S FAILURE TO DISCHARGE ITS RESPONSIBILITIES AS ADMINISTERING POWER. UK MISOFFS STATE INDONESIANS WELL PLEASED WITH OPERATIVE PARA 3 WHICH CALLS ON PORTUGAL AS ADMINISTERING POWER TO "COOPERATE FULLY WITH UN SO AS TO ENABLE PEOPLE OF EAST TIMOR TO EXERCISE FREELY THEIR RIGHT TO SELF-DETERMINATION.

4. INDONESIA'S PERM REP SANI TOLD US THAT HE WAS NOT CONCERNED OVER LACK OF SPECIFIC MENTION OF CEASE FIRE OR CESSATION OF HOSTILITIES IN NONALIGNED AND WESTERN DRAFTS CIRCULATED IN LATE AFTERNOON. PRESUMABLY, THEREFORE, HE WILL BE SATISFIED IN THIS RESPECT WITH JOINT NONALIGNED-WESTERN DRAFT. MAY ALSO BE NOTED THAT JOINT DRAFT IN SEVENTH PREAMBULAR PARA STRESSES "URGENT NEED TO AVOID FURTHER BLOODSHED IN EAST TIMOR."

5. TEXT OF JOINT NONALIGNED-WESTERN DRAFT FOLLOWS:

QUOTE:

JOINT NONALIGNED-WESTERN WORKING PAPER

THE SECURITY COUNCIL,

HAVING NOTED THE CONTENTS OF THE LETTER OF THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF PORTUGAL (S/11899),

HAVING HEARD THE STATEMENTS OF THE REPRESENTATIVES OF PORTUGAL AND INDONESIA,

HAVING HEARD REPRESENTATIVES OF THE PEOPLE OF EAST TIMOR,

RECOGNIZING THE INALIENABLE RIGHT OF THE PEOPLE OF EAST TIMOR TO SELF-DETERMINATION AND INDEPENDENCE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PRINCIPLES OF THE CHARTER OF THE UNITED NATIONS
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AND THE DECLARATION ON THE GRANTING OF INDEPENDENCE TO COLONIAL COUNTRIES AND PEOPLES, CONTAINED IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 1514 (XV) OF 14 DECEMBER 1960,

NOTING THAT GENERAL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 3485 (XXX) OF 12 DECEMBER 1975, INTER ALIA, REQUESTED THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON THE SITUATION WITH REGARD TO THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE DECLARATION ON THE GRANTING OF INDEPENDENCE TO COLONIAL

COUNTRIES AND PEOPLES TO SEND A FACT-FINDING MISSION TO
EAST TIMOR,

GRAVELY CONCERNED AT THE DETERIORATION OF THE SITUATION
IN EAST TIMOR,

GRAVELY CONCERNED ALSO AT THE LOSS OF LIFE AND CONSCIOUS
OF THE URGENT NEED TO AVOID FURTHER BLOODSHED IN EAST TIMOR,

DEPLORING THE INTERVENTION OF THE ARMED FORCES OF INDONESIA
IN EAST TIMOR,

REGRETTING THAT THE GOVERNMENT OF PORTUGAL DID NOT DISCHARGE
FULLY ITS RESPONSIBILITIES AS ADMINISTERING POWER IN THE
TERRITORY UNDER CHAPTER XI OF THE CHARTER,

1. CALLS UPON ALL STATES TO RESPECT THE TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY
OF EAST TIMOR AS WELL AS THE INALIENABLE RIGHT OF ITS PEOPLE
TO SELF-DETERMINATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
RESOLUTION 1514 (XV);

2. CALLS UPON THE GOVERNMENT OF INDONESIA TO WITHDRAW WITHOUT
DELAY ALL ITS FORCES FROM THE TERRITORY;

3. CALLS UPON THE GOVERNMENT OF PORTUGAL AS ADMINISTERING
POWER TO CO-OPERATE FULLY WITH THE UNITED NATIONS SO AS TO
ENABLE THE PEOPLE OF EAST TIMOR TO EXERCISE FREELY THEIR
RIGHT TO SELF-DETERMINATION;

4. URGES ALL STATES AND OTHER PARTIES CONCERNED TO CO-
OPERATE FULLY WITH THE EFFORTS OF THE UNITED NATIONS TO
ACHIEVE A PEACEFUL SOLUTION TO THE EXISTING SITUATION
AND TO FACILITATE THE DECOLONIZATION OF THE TERRITORY;
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5. REQUESTS THE SECRETARY-GENERAL TO SEND URGENTLY
A SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE TO EAST TIMOR FOR THE PURPOSE
OF MAKING AN ON-THE-SPOT ASSESSMENT OF THE EXISTING SITUATION
AND OF ESTABLISHING CONTACT WITH ALL THE PARTIES IN THE
TERRITORY AND ALL STATES CONCERNED IN ORDER TO ENSURE
THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PRESENT RESOLUTION;

6. FURTHER REQUESTS THE SECRETARY-GENERAL TO FOLLOW THE
IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PRESENT RESOLUTION AND, TAKING INTO
ACCOUNT THE REPORT OF HIS SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE, TO SUBMIT
RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

7. DECIDES TO REMAIN SEIZED OF THE SITUATION.
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